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Intended for parents, the booklet provides a practical guide to the types of learning aids that are helpful to the hearing impaired child. Sections cover the following: an explanation of residual hearing; types of hearing aids and hearing aid equipment; language development aids (brief descriptions are provided for materials in beginning language, listening skills, reading, training for parents, sign language training, and speechreading); aids to communication (including tele-typewriters and telephone aids); and aids to daily living (such as a vibrating alarm clock, captioned television programs, and TTY--tele-typewriter--service). In many instances, the cost information is provided. Appended are the addresses of state and satellite health centers, a checklist for testing a hearing aid, and a directory of producers and distributors of materials. (SBH)

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# 1

# Introduction

Your child has a hearing impairment. He may have a partial hearing loss, or he may be completely deaf. In either case, he cannot depend upon his ears to learn about the world to the extent that children with normal hearing can do. You, his parents, want to help him learn through his other senses. This booklet is a practical guide to the types of learning aids that are helpful to the hearing impaired child. It tells you the things your child can learn through other senses and suggests certain materials and equipment that have been specially designed for his learning needs. Some examples of these materials are listed, in the text, together with their distributors and approximate costs. Full addresses for distributors can be found in Appendix C.

No matter what kinds of special aids you provide for your hearing impaired child, you cannot ignore the need for professional attention to his impairment. If you suspect your child has a hearing loss, you should take him to an audiologist for an evaluation. The audiologist will test the child's hearing with an audiometer. He can then determine whether your child has a hearing loss and, if so, how severe it is.

The State Health Center in your area can provide these services for you. You may then be referred to a diagnostic center for further evaluation by trained specialists. The State Health Center will assist you in obtaining recommended treatment there. These services are usually provided on a sliding fee scale. The State Health Center and the Pennsylvania Department of Child Health and Welfare can provide financial assistance toward the purchase of recommended hearing aids, surgery, or hospitalization. Applications for financial assistance are available from the diagnostic center. A list of State Health Centers can be found in Appendix A.

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# Residual Hearing

The amount of hearing that your child does have is called residual hearing. It is important that you make use of this hearing ability as you help your child to learn. Sounds "bounce off" hard surfaces and your child may not be able to focus on the important sounds with the residual hearing he has. The use of draperies, carpets, and other fabrics in your home may help cushion noises and allow your child to hear your voice more clearly.

It is also important for you to keep your child's ears as clean as possible. Wax build-up will limit the use of residual hearing. Ear wax softeners are available at your local pharmacy. Be sure to follow the directions on the package carefully.

If your hearing impaired child is not yet in school, you should contact your local school district and/or Intermediate Unit to see if any special preschool programs are available to him. The school district will also want to know about your child's impairment so that they can plan for him when he is ready to start school. Be sure to keep the school district up to date as new information concerning your child becomes available.

# Hearing Aids

Hearing aids are devices which are sensitive to sounds and make them louder to compensate for a hearing loss. They can help your child make the best use of the hearing he has. There are four basic types of hearing aids. The type that is most appropriate for your child will depend on the nature and severity of his hearing loss. It is up to you to discuss your child's needs with the audiologist. He may want your child to try several types of hearing aids so that together you can select the best one.

Hearing aid systems consist of a microphone, an amplifier, a receiver, an ear mold, and a power source. Hearing aids can be used for only one ear (monaural) or both ears (binaural). The four basic types of hearing aids available are as follows:

**In the Ear** hearing aids are fitted into the ear and extend into the ear canal. They are light in weight and have no external wires. This type is generally effective only for mild hearing loss.

**Behind the Ear** hearing aids are fitted behind the ear and connect to the ear and ear mold by a short plastic tube. This type is generally appropriate for hearing losses ranging from mild to severe.

**Eyeglass** hearing aids are built into an eyeglass frame. This type is generally appropriate for mild to severe hearing losses.

**Conventional or Body Aid** hearing aids are carried in a garment pocket and are attached to the receiver and ear mold by cords. They offer the greatest amount of amplification and are most effective for severe and profound hearing losses.

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It is important that you keep a record of all the accessory items of your child's hearing aid. Such a record should include the make, model, serial number, battery type, tubing size (for ear-level hearing aids), and cord length and type (for conventional hearing aids).

Hearing aids require special care and cleaning to keep them working well. The device should be checked daily to be sure it is still working. Procedures for a Daily Listening Check can be found in Appendix B. There are also many products available to help you keep your child's hearing aid in good condition.

**Hearing Aid Cleaners.** A solution of mild soap and water can be used to clean the ear mold. Special cleaners are also available that can remove ear wax and dirt from your child's hearing aid ear mold in minutes.

Example:

**Clean Aid**

Available from: Hal-Hen Company Cost: under $5.00

**Battery Testers.** Your child's hearing aid is powered by small batteries. Pocket-type battery testers can show you how much power is in the battery and if it needs replacement. One model is available from:

Eveready Battery Company Cost: under $5.00

**Batteries.** You should have extra batteries available in case the one in your child's hearing aid stops working. Your child should also carry an extra one with him so that he can replace a worn-out battery on the spot. Be sure that the extra batteries are the same type number as the present one. Do not substitute another type of battery unless the manufacturer or your hearing aid dealer suggests it.

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# Language Development Aids

Learning to communicate may be particularly difficult for your hearing impaired child, but there are things you can do to help him. First, everyone in your family should talk to him just as if he could hear normally. Second, it is very important for your hearing impaired child to learn to look directly at you when you speak to him. The best way to do this is to watch for chances to say something when he is looking at you. Your hearing impaired child needs your help to learn that everything has a name of its own. Always show him what you are talking about as you name it, and be prepared to repeat these names over and over again until he can understand what you are saying.

There are many ways for your hearing impaired child to communicate. One of the first ways he will begin to understand your speech is by lipreading. Lipreading, or speechreading, is the ability to understand what people say by watching their lips and facial expressions as they talk. As your child learns to speechread, he can begin to learn to talk. Even if he has only a small amount of residual hearing, a trained teacher can work with him to develop speech.

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As your child learns speechreading, he should also learn to communicate by sign language and fingerspelling. Sign language is a system of descriptive signs, each expressing a word. Fingerspelling is the spelling out of words, using finger letters instead of spoken or written ones.

There is a growing trend toward the use of "total communication" with hearing impaired children. Total communication uses all forms of communication available to develop a child's language as early as possible. It includes the child's own gesture system, formal sign language, speech, speechreading, fingerspelling, reading and writing, and emphasizes the use of residual hearing, listening skills, and thinking skills.

There are materials you can use at home to create language learning experiences for your hearing impaired child.

## Beginning Language

**My Speech Book.** A book of 176 common words for parents to use with hearing impaired children.
Available from: St. John's School for the Deaf Cost: under $3.00

**Nounsense.** A card game to teach 375 basic nouns to young children.
Available from: St. John's School for the Deaf Cost: under $10.00

**Play It By Ear.** Describes 36 games to help young deaf children develop auditory skills.
Available from: John Tracy Clinic Cost: under $5.00

**My Pictionary-Verbs.** A book to teach action words to hearing impaired children. Sign card games to teach these words are also available.
Available from: St. John's School for the Deaf Cost: each under $6.00

**John Tracy Vocabulary List.** Vocabulary list of common words for use with preschool deaf children.
Available from: John Tracy Clinic Cost: under $2.00

**Julie and Jack Series.** Workbooks teach sequencing, reading, and language exercises in a cartoon or comic strip style.
Available from: St. John's School for the Deaf Cost: each under $5.00

### Listening Skills

**Learning to Listen.** A 78-rpm recording for very young deaf children. A simple story designed to teach your child to listen.
Available from: John Tracy Clinic Cost: under $3.00

### Reading

**Gallaudet Signed English Series.** Books are illustrated and include signs throughout. Many titles are available, from beginning books for preschoolers through stories and poems for elementary school children.
Available from: Gallaudet College Bookstore Cost: $1.50 to $5.00 each

**Golden Books and Hallmark Books.** Standard editions of popular children's books are available with the addition of signs.
Available from: I.A.P.D. Cost: under $5.00

**Coloring Books in Sign.** Workbooks that children can enjoy while learning basic signs are available on the primer level.
Available from: I.A.P.D. Cost: under $3.00

### Training for Parents

**Getting Your Baby Ready to Talk.** A home study plan for parents to provide language stimulation for babies 6-18 months.
Available from: John Tracy Clinic Cost: under $6.00

**John Tracy Clinic Correspondence Course.** Twelve lessons in communication for parents of preschool deaf children.
Available from: John Tracy Clinic Cost: no charge to parents who enroll

**Communication Kit.** Designed for parents to use with their children, the kit suggests special uses for games and books to encourage communication and play activities, and also provides parents with help and information about hearing impairments.
Available from: I.A.P.D. Cost: $40.00

### Sign Language Training

**Sign Language Flash Cards.** 500 cards for instruction in signing.
Available from: I.A.P.D. Cost: under $6.00

**Games and Activities for Sign Language Classes.** This book lists 42 games for families who know signs.
Available from: I.A.P.D. Cost: $3.00

**Children's Sign Language Playing Cards.** Play "Old Maid" and other games while signing. Twenty-six pairs to the deck.
Available from: I.A.P.D. Cost: under $2.00

### Speechreading

**Speechreading Through Sports.** A book of games, puzzles, and exercises for junior high school and older football fans.
Available from: A.G. Bell Association for the Deaf Cost: $3.50

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# Aids to Communication

Your hearing impaired child needs to be able to communicate with other people. He needs to learn to control his speaking voice so that he can be understood. He may need special aids to talk with normally hearing or other hearing impaired children and adults. There are products to help your child communicate with others.

**Voice Lights.** The voice light is a small box with a light that is sensitive to sound. As your child talks, the light can show him how loud or soft his voice is. The light can also show him how high or low his voice sounds.

Example:

**Voice Lite**

Available from: Behavioral Controls, Incorporated Cost: under $300.00

**Tele-typewriters.** Special machines, connected to the telephone, can type out your child's conversation. If your child's impairment makes it very difficult to hear the other person on the phone, he can see what is being said on the teletype machine. Electronic lighting devices spell out the message letter-by-letter on the machine. The hearing impaired person places the telephone receiver in the machine, types out the intended conversation and the words appear on a small screen. This machine will operate only if both telephones in use are connected to the same system. One model is available from:

Micon Industries — Cost: approximately $650.00

A portable tele-typewriter is also available to provide printed copy of the telephone conversation.

Example:

**Porta-Printer**

Available from: Krown Research — Cost: approximately $600.00

**Telephone Aids.** Special aids are available to help your hearing impaired child use the telephone. They include amplifiers, adapters, special units, signals to indicate the phone is ringing, and coded coin telephones. More information on telephone aids is available from your local telephone business office.

**Amplifiers.** An adjustable wheel on the handset amplifies the voice being heard; a high-volume button can provide additional amplification. An adjusting wheel can increase the volume of the speaker's voice.

**Adapters.** If your child's hearing aid has a telephone pickup option, he may need to use an adapter with certain telephone models.

**Special Units.** A bone conduction receiver is available to transmit sound vibrations to the inner ear of persons who hear better by bone conduction. The Code-Com set converts sound into light signals that can be "read" or felt. Dataphone service can link telephones into teletypewriters and other special equipment.

**Signals That Indicate the Phone is Ringing.** Tone ringers, loud bells, eight-inch gongs, signals in different frequencies, plastic gongs, and lamp indicators are special devices available for hearing impaired persons.

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# Aids to Daily Living

Your hearing impaired child can learn to be independent with the help of special equipment he can use at home. He can learn to use the telephone, kitchen appliances, and safety devices and to care for his own needs. There are special materials to help your child as he becomes more independent.

**Vibrating Alarm Clock.** Special alarm clocks are available for your hearing impaired child. These clocks have an attachment to shake his pillow or bedding to wake him. One model is available from:

Hal-Hen Company — Cost: under $30.00

**Flashing Light Alarm Clock**. Alarm clocks are available with flashing lights to wake your child.

Example:

**Moonbeam Silent Alarm**

Available from: Hal-Hen Company Cost: under $10.00

**Visual Doorbells**. A special light can be attached to your doorbell. Your hearing impaired child will know that a visitor is at the door when he sees the light flashing. Your house can be wired so that each room can have such a light. You may need the assistance of an electrician to install this device. One model is available from:

Vibralight Products Cost: under $100.00

**Sound Signal**. This device, when attached to any pair of eyeglass frames, changes sound into colored light signals. The wearer can "see" the sound of a doorbell by the color of the light signal, and can learn the difference between sounds by the differences in the colors.

Available from: Tru Vel Corporation Cost: under $20.00

**Code Book: Emergency and Hospital**. A sign book for special situations to give to a doctor or hospital to assist in communicating with your child.

Available from: I.A.P.D. Cost: under $1.00

**Coded Coin Telephones.** Coin telephones throughout the Bell System are being adapted so that they can be used with a hearing aid that has a telephone switch. You can easily identify those coin telephones that have been modified by checking the base of the receiver where the cord is attached (grommet). Your child will be able to hear if there is no grommet or if there is a blue grommet. He will not be able to hear if there is a dark gray grommet.

**Captioned Television Programs.** The major television networks have been ordered by the Federal Communications Commission to present emergency bulletins in written form at the bottom of the screen for hearing impaired viewers. The networks are also planning to caption prime-time programs for the hearing impaired. A system called "closed captioning" will be used, in which only viewers with special attachments on their TV sets can see the captions. Check your local television listings to see if any special programming is available in your area. Some of these programs may also be interpreted in sign language.

**TTY Service.** Services are available to help the hearing impaired person who has a tele-typewriter system communicate with people who do not have such a system. These services relay messages typed on your home TTY to normally hearing people. Also, messages can be relayed from a hearing person to your home TTY. There are presently three such CONTACT services in Pennsylvania:

**CONTACT Philadelphia**

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| Telephone Crisis Center | (215) 879-4402 |
| TTY Service for the Deaf | (215) 879-4608 |
| Business Office | (215) 879-9099 |

**CONTACT Harrisburg**

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| Business Office | (717) 652-4400 |

**CONTACT York**

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| Business Office | (717) 845-9123 |

# Appendix A
## STATE HEALTH CENTERS

**ADAMS COUNTY**
State Health Center
103 West Middle Street
Gettysburg, Pa. 17325

**ARMSTRONG COUNTY**
State Health Center
Courthouse – Room 303
Kittanning, Pa. 16201

**BEAVER COUNTY**
State Health Center
1445 Market Street
West Bridgewater, Pa. 15009

**BEDFORD COUNTY**
State Health Center
Bedford Professional Building
130 West Penn Street
Bedford, Pa. 15522

**BERKS COUNTY**
State Health Center
401 Buttonwood Street
West Reading, Pa. 19611

**BLAIR COUNTY**
State Health Center
Cricket Field Plaza
615 Howard Avenue
Altoona, Pa. 16601

**BRADFORD COUNTY**
State Health Center
Colonial Plaza Shopping Center
387 York Avenue Ext.
Towanda, Pa. 18848

**BUTLER COUNTY**
State Health Center
Veterans Hospital, Building 79
P. O. Box 94 (Mailing Address)
Butler, Pa. 16001

**CAMBRIA COUNTY**
State Health Center
120 S. Center Street
Ebensburg, Pa. 15931

**CAMERON COUNTY**
State Health Center
Box 23, R. D. 1, Route 156
Emporium, Pa. 15834

**CARBON COUNTY**
State Health Center
209 East Bertsch Street
Lansford, Pa. 18232

**CENTRE COUNTY**
State Health Center
110 South School Street
Bellefonte, Pa. 16823

**CLARION COUNTY**
State Health Center
708 Main Street
Clarion, Pa. 16214

**CLEARFIELD COUNTY**
State Health Center
807 Turnpike Avenue
Clearfield, Pa. 16830

**CLINTON COUNTY**
State Health Center
Susque-View Home
129 Susquehanna Avenue
Lock Haven, Pa. 17745

**COLUMBIA COUNTY**
State Health Center
1121 Old Berwick Road
Bloomsburg, Pa. 17815

**CRAWFORD COUNTY**
State Health Center
160 South Park Avenue Plaza
Meadville, Pa. 16335

**CUMBERLAND COUNTY**
State Health Center
425 East North Street
Carlisle, Pa. 17013

**DAUPHIN COUNTY**
State Health Center
2990 Jefferson Street
Harrisburg, Pa. 17110

**DELAWARE COUNTY**
State Health Center
Fifth & Penn Streets
Chester, Pa. 19013

**ELK COUNTY**
State Health Center
Ailene S. Trantini, R. N.
Box 41
Force, Pa. 15841

**FAYETTE COUNTY**
State Health Center
212 Fayette Bank Building
Uniontown, Pa. 15401

**FOREST COUNTY**
State Health Center
South Elm Street
P. O. Box 405 (Mailing Address)
Tionesta, Pa. 16353

**FRANKLIN COUNTY**
State Health Center
518 Cleveland Avenue
P. O. Box 464 (Mailing Address)
Chambersburg, Pa. 17201

**FULTON COUNTY**
State Health Center
206½ Lincoln Way East
McConnellsburg, Pa. 17233

**GREENE COUNTY**
State Health Center
Democrat Messenger Building
Waynesburg, Pa. 15370

**HUNTINGDON COUNTY**
State Health Center
909 Moore Street
Huntingdon, Pa. 16652

**INDIANA COUNTY**
State Health Center
125 North Fifth Street
Indiana, Pa. 15701

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
State Health Center
240 West Mahoning Street
Punxsutawney, Pa. 15767

**JUNIATA COUNTY**
State Health Center
Market Street
Port Royal, Pa. 17082

**LACKAWANNA COUNTY**
State Health Center
Chamber of Commerce Building
426 Mulberry Street
Scranton, Pa. 18503

**LANCASTER COUNTY**
State Health Center
439 East King Street
P. O. Box 1518 (Mailing Address)
Lancaster, Pa. 17604

**LAWRENCE COUNTY**
State Health Center
Central Building
101 South Mercer Street
New Castle, Pa. 16101

**LEBANON COUNTY**
State Health Center
Municipal Building – Room 404
400 South Eighth Street
Lebanon, Pa. 17042

**LEHIGH COUNTY**
State Health Center
123 N. Second Street
Easton, Pa. 18042

**LUZERNE COUNTY**
State Health Center
100 Hazle Street
Wilkes Barre, Pa. 18702

**LYCOMING COUNTY**
State Health Center
224 East Fourth Street
Williamsport, Pa. 17701

**MCKEAN COUNTY**
State Health Center
137 North Bennett Street
Bradford, Pa. 16701

**MERCER COUNTY**
State Health Center
900 North Hermitage Road
Sharon, Pa. 16146

**MIFFLIN COUNTY**
State Health Center
3 N. Dorcas Street
Lewistown, Pa. 17044

**MONROE COUNTY**
State Health Center
519 Sarah Street
Stroudsburg, Pa. 18360

**MONTGOMERY COUNTY**
State Health Center
750 East Johnson Highway
Norristown, Pa. 19401

**MONTOUR COUNTY**
State Health Center
415 Mill Street
Danville, Pa. 17821

**NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY**
State Health Center
247 Pennsylvania Avenue
Sunbury, Pa. 17801

**PERRY COUNTY**
State Health Center
121 North Fourth Street
Newport, Pa. 17074

**PIKE COUNTY**
State Health Center
111 West Harford Street
Milford, Pa. 18337

**POTTER COUNTY**
State Health Center
353 East Second Street
Coudersport, Pa. 16915

**SCHUYLKILL COUNTY**
State Health Center
420 North Centre Street
Pottsville, Pa. 17901

**SNYDER COUNTY**
State Health Center
212 Winey Avenue
Middleburg, Pa. 17842

**SOMERSET COUNTY**
State Health Center
116 West Patriot Street
Somerset, Pa. 15501

**SULLIVAN COUNTY**
State Health Center
110 German Street
Dushore, Pa. 18614

**SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY**
State Health Center
Colonial Hall
P. O. Box 92 (Mailing Address)
Montrose, Pa. 18801

**TIOGA COUNTY**
State Health Center
5 East Avenue
Wellsboro, Pa. 16901

**UNION COUNTY**
State Health Center
29 South Fifth Street
Lewisburg, Pa. 17837

**VENANGO COUNTY**
State Health Center
409 Trust Company Building
Franklin, Pa. 16323

**WARREN COUNTY**
State Health Center
104 Water Street
P. O. Box 782 (Mailing Address)
Warren, Pa. 16365

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
State Health Center
Professional Building
87 East Maiden Avenue
Washington, Pa. 15301

**WAYNE COUNTY**
State Health Center
615 Erie Heights
Honesdale, Pa. 18431

**WESTMORELAND COUNTY**
State Health Center
115 West Otterman Street
Greensburg, Pa. 15601

**WYOMING COUNTY**
State Health Center
68 Bridge Street
Tunkhannock, Pa. 18657

**YORK COUNTY**
State Health Center
130 N. Duke Street
York, Pa. 17401

# SATELLITE HEALTH CENTERS

**BRADFORD COUNTY**
Health Center
421 Keystone Avenue
Sayre, Pa. 18840

**CAMBRIA COUNTY**
Health Center
Conemaugh Valley
Memorial Hospital
Johnstown, Pa. 15909

**CARBON COUNTY**
Jim Thorpe Health Center
23-25 Broadway
Jim Thorpe, Pa. 18229

**CLEARFIELD COUNTY**
Health Center
28 East Scribner Avenue
DuBois, Pa. 15801

**CRAWFORD COUNTY**
Health Center
123 East Main Street
Titusville, Pa. 16354

**DELAWARE COUNTY**
Health Center
1018 Main Street
Darby, Pa. 19023

**FAYETTE COUNTY**
Health Center
110 South Arch Street
Connellsville, Pa. 14525

**LUZERNE COUNTY**
Health Center
City Hall – Room 6
Hazleton, Pa. 18201

**LUZERNE COUNTY**
Health Center
48-50 South Main Street
Pittston, Pa. 18640

**MCKEAN COUNTY**
Health Center
217 Chase Street
Kane, Pa. 16735

**MONTGOMERY COUNTY**
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Abington, Pa. 19001

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Pottstown, Pa. 19464

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**WESTMORELAND COUNTY**
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Monessen, Pa. 15062

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# Appendix B

## How To Give
## A Daily Listening Check

1. Check the battery in the battery tester. Make sure it is working at a high enough level.
2. Insert the battery. Clean any corrosion with an eraser or blunt knife before insertion.
3. Set the controls: Switch in "off" position
   Volume control on lowest setting
   Switch on "M" (Mike) position
4. Place the earphone to your ear. Cover it with the palm of your hand, and hold the body of the hearing aid away from your ear to prevent feedback.
5. Turn switch to "on" position. Listen for scratchy sound, or sound that stops and starts. Be sure that the "on-off" switch does not slip. Check that the switch is dust-free.
6. Turn volume control wheel up and down. Listen for scratchiness, dead spots, poor volume control.
7. Roll the cord between your fingers and listen for "cut-out" sounds. You may need to replace the cord.
8. Tap the hearing aid on all sides. Listen for power reduction or rattling (loose screws).

**IF YOU NOTICE ANY PROBLEMS, CALL YOUR HEARING AID DEALER.**

# Appendix C

## Directory of Producers and Distributors of Materials

This booklet has presented you with information about the types of compensatory educational aids and aids for daily living that can be of value to your hearing impaired child during all stages of his development. The suggestions made in this booklet are intended to guide you in your choice of materials for your child. Don't let these suggestions limit you in any way. There is an almost endless list of available products for you to consider and choose from. Keep in mind what it is you are trying to help your child learn, as well as how your child seems to learn best. Select materials using your imagination and careful judgment.

The following is a directory of producers and distributors of materials which you might find useful to your hearing impaired child. All these companies will send you a catalog of their products on request.

**Alexander Graham Bell Association for the Deaf**
3417 Volta Place
Washington, D. C. 20007

**Behavioral Controls, Inc.**
P. O. Box 480
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53246

**Eveready Battery Company**
Box 6056
Cleveland, Ohio 44101

**Gallaudet College Bookstore**
Gallaudet College
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